

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ETRD, CA  
SUBJECT: CANADIAN MEASURES AGAINST ARAB BOYCOTT

REF: OTTAWA 4610

1. ONLY MOVE BY GOC TO DATE TO IMPLEMENT CANADA'S POSITION ON ARAB BOYCOTT, AS ENUNCIATED BY EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER JAMIESON OCTOBER 21, 1976, HAS BEEN AN INTERIM MEMORANDUM OF JANUARY 21, 1977 CIRCULATED IN MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY, TRADE AND COMMERCE (ITC).

2. MEMORANDUM, FURNISHED TO EMBASSY ON CONFIDENTIAL BASIS, REPEATS JAMIESON'S ANNOUNCEMENT THAT FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL DENY ITS SUPPORT TO COMPANIES, AGENTS OR INDIVIDUALS WHICH WOULD VIOLATE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT POLICY ON BOYCOTT. ITC OFFICIALS, IN EACH CASE OF REQUEST TOR NORMAL ITC SUPPORT, ARE TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER ANY BOYCOTT REQUESTS HAVE BEEN AGREED TO, AND IF ANY BOYCOTT PROVISION CONTRAVENES GOC POLICY, ASSISTANCE IS TO BE WITHHELD AND A REPORT MADE TO THE APPROPRIATE ITC GEOGRAPHIC BUREAU. A PUBLIC REPORT WILL BE MADE SEMI-ANNUALLY.

3. COPIES ITC INTERNAL MEMORANDUM BEING POUCHED EUR/CAN CONFIDENTIAL

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(BLAKEMORE), NEA/RA ((RICKETT) AND COMMERCE OTP (STOLER).

4. COMMENT: AS ANTICIPATED REETEL, IMPLEMENTATION OF GOC BOYCOTT POLICY HAS BEEN NEITHER QUICK NOR RIGOROUS.  
ENDERS

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